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TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

Transmitted herewith for filing by Express Mail is the incomplete patent application of **Wayne D. Grover** of Edmonton, Canada, and **John Doucette** of Edmonton, Canada, entitled TOPOLOGICAL DESIGN OF SURVIVABLE MESH-BASED TRANSPORT NETWORKS. This application claims the benefit of the filing date of U.S. Provisional Application No. 60/245,189, filed November 3, 2000.

- X   1. An application for patent consisting of 65 pages of specification, including the claims and Abstract of the Disclosure, and 7 sheets of drawings is attached.
- X   2. A Declaration and Power of Attorney is not attached. Please file this application in the names of the inventors listed above.

COMPUTATION OF FEE

	Number Filed		Number Extra		Rate	
Basic Fee						740
Total Claims	30 - 20	=	10	x	18	= 180
Independent Claims	3 - 3	=	0	x	84	= 0
TOTAL						920

- X   3. No fee is enclosed.
- X   4. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16, 1.17 and 1.18 which may be required during the entire pendency of the application, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 03-1740. This authorization also hereby includes a request for any extensions of time of the appropriate length required upon the filing of any reply during the entire prosecution of this application.
- X   5. A filing date in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.10 is requested. The Express Mail Certificate appears below.

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